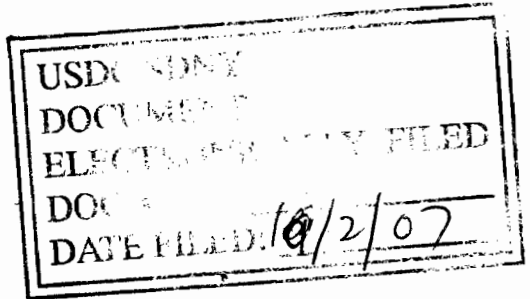


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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK



WEEKS MARINE, INC., individually and  
on behalf of a class of all those similarly  
situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

BRIDGESTONE CORPORATION;  
BRIDGESTONE INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS  
AMERICA, INC.; TRELLEBORG INDUSTRIE  
S.A.; DUNLOP OIL & MARINE LTD.; PARKER  
ITR S.L.R.; MANULI RUBBER INDUSTRIES  
S.P.A.; MANULI OIL & MARINE (U.S.A.) INC.;  
YOKOHAMA RUBBER CO., LTD.; PW  
CONSULTING (OIL AND MARINE) LTD.;  
PETER WHITTLE; DAVID BRAMMAR;  
BRYAN ALLISON; JACQUES COGNARD;  
CHRISTIAN CALECA; MISAO HIOKI;  
FRANCESCO SCAGLIA; and VANNI  
SCODEGGIO,

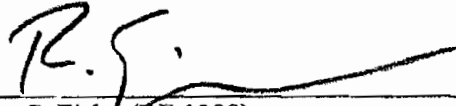
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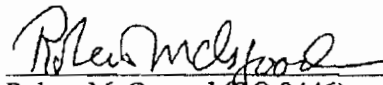
**STIPULATION AND ORDER**

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the undersigned parties, through their respective counsel, that the time for Defendants Manuli Rubber Industries S.p.A. ("MRI") and Manuli Oil & Marine (U.S.A.) Inc. ("MOM") to move, answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint in this action shall be extended for a period of thirty (30) days, from October 2, 2007 through and including November 1, 2007; and

IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED AND AGREED that this stipulation is entered without waiver of any defenses by MRI or MOM, including but not limited to jurisdictional defenses.

  
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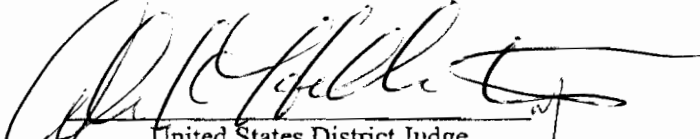
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SO ORDERED.

New York, New York  
October 2, 2007

  
United States District Judge